



**Chelsea Public Schools
School Committee**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**There will be a Regular Meeting of the
Chelsea School Committee on**

Wednesday, April 13, 2022

At 7:00 p.m.

In the Council Chambers

**City Hall
500 Broadway
Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150**

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School Committee

There will be a regular meeting of the Chelsea School Committee on Wednesday, April 13, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, City Hall 500 Broadway, Chelsea, MA, to discuss and take action on the items in the following agenda.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. **School Committee Minutes:** Approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting March 24, 2022.
(Enclosure A)

4. **Public Comment**

5. **Presentations: None**

6. **Report of the Superintendent of Schools:**

Student Achievement: Indicators of Success

COVID Update: Update on Mask Survey Data

Student Representative Update:

Personnel Update: (Enclosure B)

Enrollment Reports: (Enclosure C)

Committee Reports: Policy & Procedure (Enclosure D)

7. **Unfinished Business:** None

8. **New Business:**

- Consideration and option to make masks optional in school buildings and buses effective May 9, 2022. *Item #:* 22SC56

Explanation: A vote from the Chelsea School Committee is required in order to go through with the recommendation of the Superintendent to lift the mask requirement for all students and staff, vaccinated

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or unvaccinated, when indoors and on school buses. Effective May 9th, masks will be optional in school buildings and on buses. The exception to this would be: any person that is returning from a positive COVID-19 diagnosis after day 5 that is required to wear a mask or any person visiting our school health offices. *Item #: 22SC57*

- Consideration and action to move to authorize the District to continue to maintain the operation of the Chelsea Virtual Academy beyond the 2021-2022 school year for an additional three years.

Item#:21SC58

Explanation: Per DESE regulation, the School Committee must vote to maintain operation of the Chelsea Virtual Learning Academy beyond the 2021-2022 school year.

- Consideration and action to accept the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve a series of Field Trips to Mount Cardigan in New Hampshire for 8 Chelsea Opportunity Academy students and 2 chaperones on May 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th, 18th, & 19th. *Item #: 22SC59 (Enclosure E)*

Explanation: This year, the Chelsea Opportunity Academy is offering the opportunity for students to participate in the Outdoor Experience Course which provides students with the chance to learn more about hiking and camping. Out-of-state field trips must be approved by the School Committee.

- Consideration and action to accept the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve two Field Trips to the Common Ground Center in Stokboro Vermont for 8 Chelsea REACH program students and 5 chaperones on April 29th-May 1st and June 3rd-June 5th. *Item #: 22SC60 (Enclosure F)*

Explanation: This year, the Chelsea REACH program has been invited to receive one on one assistant from filmmakers to finalize their own documentaries that they have been working on all year. Out-of-state field trips must be approved by the School Committee.

9. Communications: None

10. Announcements:

11. Adjournment:

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